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VENDUE.

ON TUESDAY and FRIDAY, in every week, at 10 o'clock in the morning, will be exposed for sale at the Vendue-Store corner of Prince and Water streets,

A VARIETY OF

Wet and Dry Goods,

of which the particulars will be given previous to the sale.

The business of VENDUE MASTER having devolved entirely on the subscriber, he informs the Public, that the store will always be kept open for the reception of GOODS, and selling such articles therein, between the times of Public Sales, as may be on limitation. He likewise offers his services in transacting any kind of Commission Business,

PHILIP G. MARSTELLER.

THE TRIAL OF

PETER PORCUPINE

FOR A LIBEL ON

DOCTOR RUSH.

For Sale by

SAMUEL BISHOP.

Royal Street, Feb. 7.

NOTICE.

THOSE indebted to the Estate of ANDREW WALES, deceased, will please to call and pay the amount to the Executors; and any that have accounts against the said estate will please present them, legally proved, that the business may be brought to a close as soon as possible.

THO'S VOWELL, jun. } Ex'rs.
JOHN BOYER, }

February 8. 3m

On Saturday the 15th inst. will be sold, at Public Vendue,

ALL the personal Estate of ANDREW WALES, deceased, at the house of Mr. Low, on Union Street; consisting of feather beds, bedsteads, one good eight day clock, a billiard table and cloth, chairs, tables, &c. A credit of six months will be given for sums above twenty dollars, by giving bond and security.

THO'S VOWELL, jun. } Ex'rs.
JOHN BOYER, }

February 8, 4t

George-Town, February 6, 1800.

THE President and Directors of the Potomak Company will hold a Board on Friday the 14th and Saturday the 15th inst. at the Union Tavern, in George Town, for the purpose of examining and liquidating all unsettled claims against the said Company.

All persons having claims are requested to lodge their accounts, duly stated and accompanied by vouchers, with the subscriber, at least three days previous to the sitting of the Board, in order that they may be compared with the Books—Funds will then be ready to pay off all accounts which may be passed.

JOSEPH CARLETON,
Treasurer of the Potomak Company.

115th

For Freight or Charter

To Charleston or other Southern Port,

The Schooner

ADAMANT,

AARON PRATT, Master,

Burthen about 700 barrels. She is an excellent staunch vessel, packet built, with good accommodations for passengers.

Apply to the Master on board, at Harper's Wharf, or J. G. LADD.

For Sale, on board said vessel,

30 Barrels of Tanners' Oil.

Apply as above.

January 2, 1800.

For Sale,

The Schooner

POLLY,

Burthen 600 barrels, a stout vessel, and fast sailer; will be delivered in complete order, ready for sea. Apply to

R. & J. HAMILTON.

ALSO,

12 Tons of Logwood,

Received by said vessel from New Providence.

January 25.

WOOD

WILL BE DELIVERED,

AT

Pamunky Landing,

About 12 miles below Alexandria,

To any person who may wish to purchase any number of Cords, on the cheapest Terms. Apply to the Printer hereof.

February 6. tf

JOHN FOSTER

Has at his Warehouse, at the corner of Prince and Royal Streets, formerly occupied by Mr. David Wilson Scott,

PRIME Philadel. pitts Pork in barrels;
Prime and cargo Beef in do.
Madeira, Sherry, Port, Lisbon, Tenneriffe, and Malaga Wines of a superior quality;
Cognac, French and Spanish Brandy;
4th proof Jamaica Spirits;
Granada do.
Holland Gin;
London Draught Porter in hogsheads;
Imperial, Hyson, Y'g Hyson, Hyson-skin, Souchong & Bohea Teas of the first quality;
Scotch Barley of a superior quality;
Alum;
Durham Mustard in cases and bottles;
Black Pepper;
Allspice;
Anchovies and Capers;
Fig Blue;
Writing & Wrapping Paper;
6d. 10d. 12d. and 20d. Nails in casks;
Gilt, Plated & Metal Coat & Breast Buttons;
White Chapel Needles assorted;
Brass Cabinet Wares;
A small assortment of Plated Candlesticks, Wax Stands, Bottle Slides, Salts, Tea Pots, Cream Ewers, &c. Cloths, Shoe blacking, Dairy and Horse Brushes;
Smiths' Vices, black and bright—

Which he will sell by the package or otherwise on very moderate terms for cash or negotiable notes.

Alexandria, 10th Sept. 1799.

Alexandria Brewery.

THE subscriber, having taken the above Brewery, lately occupied by Mr. ANDREW WALES, takes the liberty of informing the inhabitants of Alexandria and its Vicinity, that he has commenced that Business, and will be ready, in the course of a week, to supply all who may honour him with their commands, with

Strong, Table & Small Beer.

From his knowledge and experience in this line, he trusts that he will be able to give general satisfaction.

He has now for Sale,

GRAINS and YEAST.—The Grains will be delivered every Wednesday and Saturday—The Yest every day, except Sunday.

WILL'M BILLINGTON.

November 5.

NOTICE.

THE Partnership of SHREVE & LAWRASON by mutual consent dissolved this day—Any persons having claims against that firm are desired to bring them forward for settlement; and those who are indebted to it are desired to make payment to either

BENJAMIN SHREVE, or
JAMES LAWRASON.

Alexandria, December 31, 1799. eptf

R. T. Hooe & Co.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED,

From Hamburg, by the schooner Neptune, Capt. Coleman, and

HAVE FOR SALE,

A Quantity of Hessian Linens, Britannias, Platillas and Bagging.

They have likewise on hand a few bales of British Shirtings, Barbadoes Sugar in hhds. and barrels, and a few hhds. of Molasses.

Alexandria, January 25, 1800. tf

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE,

By Josiah Faxon & Co.

A general Assortment of

SHOES:

Amongst which are ladies' kid, Morocco and leather slippers; gentlemen's fine shoes and pumps of the first quality, equal to any country made; women's fluff and rand shoes and slippers; misses' Morocco and leather slippers; boys' fine and coarse shoes; children's Morocco and leather shoes.

ALSO,

1600 Bushels of Lymington Salt, suitable for the fisheries
Rhode Island and Boston lime, fresh from the kilns
Beef in barrels
Shad and herrings in barrels
Malaga wine in quarter casks
Mould and dips candles
Sugar boxes and fifers
Loaf sugar
Coffee in bags
West India rum
Gin in cases
Powder and shot;

All of which will be sold on reasonable terms.

January 21. 3w

WANTED to Hire—A Negro Woman who can Cook, Wash, and Iron. Enquire of the Printer.

ACADEMY FOR YOUNG LADIES.

If the Spring put forth no blossoms, in Summer there will be no Beauty, and in Autumn no Fruit; so, if Youth be trifled away without improvement, riper Years may be contemptible, and old age miserable.

AN ACADEMY FOR YOUNG LADIES will be opened on Monday the 13th current, by Mr. WILLIAM BLACK, who received his education at the Universities of Glasgow and Edinburg, and who has been Preceptor of the Gloucester Academy in Massachusetts ever since its commencement.

Young Ladies will be taught the following Branches on the most reasonable terms:

Reading,	*Letter-Writing,*
Writing,	*Geography and the*
Arithmetic,	*Use of the Globes,*
English Grammar,	*French.*
Composition and	

English Grammar will be taught on the new approved plan of the celebrated Lindley Murray, whose Grammar and Exercise will be used as Class Books. All the other Class Books will also be new, but not expensive.

The hours of teaching will be from 9 to 12 in the forenoon, and from 3 to 5 in the afternoon.

Ample certificates of the moral character and literary ability of the Teacher, are left with the Messrs. Ramsays, King-Street.

Happy the Child, whose green unpractis'd years
The guiding hand of parent fondness rears
To rich instruction's ample field removes,
Prunes every fault, and every worth improves.
Hears the fair form, by noble views refin'd,
Shines the bright Mirror of the faultless mind.
With Piety's dew the eye of radiance flows,
With Learning's gem the breast of beauty glows,
The damask cheeks with kind affections glow
And the Mind's whiteness lights the skin of snow.

January 4. 3

REMOVAL.

THE Subscriber has removed his Store from Prince to Fairfax Street, where he offers

FOR SALE,

A variety of

Seasonable Goods,

CONSISTING OF

Coarse and fine cloths
Kerseymeres and Swansdowns
Flannels, baizes, and coatings
Blankets and blanketing
Velvets, thicksets, and corduroys
Worsted, cotton, and silk hose
Stuffs, calicoes, and chintzes
Plain, japanned, and tamboured muslins
Shawls and handkerchiefs
Silks and ribbons assorted
Irish and German linens
Ostrich and bunch feathers
A general assortment of Gloves
White beads and umbrellas
Shoes and hats
Loaf sugar

An elegant assortment of

WATCHES AND JEWELLERY,

as usual,

And a variety of other articles.

ALSO

A Forte Piano,

a little out of repair, to be sold very low.

A. C. CAZENOVE.

December 21.

Ten Dollars Reward.

STRAYED from the subscriber, in Alexandria, on Tuesday the 21st inst. a SORREL HORSE; his marks are, four white legs, greyish hair on his neck, a white star in his forehead, and a thin greyish tail a little bobb'd, between four and five years old, about 14 hands high. The above reward will be given to any one who may take up said Horse and deliver him to

IGNATIUS JUNEGEL.
Harper's Wharf.

January 28, 1800. 3t

John Foster

HAS JUST RECEIVED,

By Captain Hand, from Philadelphia,

A large supply of

GROCERIES,

In addition to his former Stock, which he will sell on moderate terms for cash or produce.

November 19.

Roberts & Griffith

HAVE JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE,

Rocoth. Green Coffee
Rocoth. Raw Orleans Coffee
30 Casks Malaga Wine
60 Boxes Muscadell Raisins
20 Boxes mould Candles
10 Casks 3d. and 4d. cut nails
25 Quarter Casks nice imperial Gunpowder.
Patent Shot, B. B. B. No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 8.
30 Boxes Real Spanish Segars.
Imperial, hyson, young hyson, hyson-skin, souchong and bohea teas, in quarter chests.
Loaf and brown sugar
Molasses, rum, brandy
A few kegs ground ginger
Hard and soft shelled almonds in sacks and kegs
Pepper, pimento and nutmegs
Madder, alum, copperas, brimstone and fig blue
Indigo, Carolina and Spanish
Salt and saltpetre
Writing & wrapping paper, &c.

December 10. w.

Contracts for Potomak Navigation.

AT the Great Falls of Potomak, there are five Locks to be inserted. The seat for one of these locks is already excavated. The pits of the other four are still to be excavated. The President and Directors are anxious to contract for the completion of the said locks, and they will contract separately for the excavation of the Lock Pits, or any of them, or any other part of the work.

This work is well worth the attention of those persons who are accustomed to undertakings of this nature, as it is of considerable magnitude. There will be about 4300 cubic yards of stone to remove in the excavation, and the President and Directors are disposed to grant liberal terms to those that will prosecute it with spirit and for speedy completion. The funds for the payment are not contingent, but already in their hands.

Any person disposed to engage in this work will make application to the subscriber as soon as possible, as the season for commencing the operations is fast approaching. He has in his possession the plan of the work to be done, and can give every information as to the mode of execution.

JOSEPH CARLETON,
Treasurer of the Potomak Company.

George Town, January 27, 1800. 4wep

George Clementson

HAS REMAINING ON HAND THE FOLLOWING ARTICLES:

80 Doz. scythes, common and German, from 46 to 54 inches
6 Boxes hardware, consisting of table knives and forks, pocket and pen knives, women's scissors, razors cases, carry, combs, White Chapel needles, &c.
10 Bundles garden spades
2 Do. Fryingpans
6 Casks sad irons assorted
1 Bale Whitehaven osnaburgs
2 Bales brown Hollands
6 Pieces flout 5 4 white sheetings
1 Box 7-8 calicoes
1 Do. coloured threads
1 Do. shoe hats
20 Kegs white paint
20 Barrels brown sugar
A few reams writing paper, and
A few dozen common leather gloves,

Which he will dispose of on reasonable terms, for Cash or approved Notes; or he will barter the whole, or any part, for Tobacco of the upper Inspections. Apply at his dwelling house, on St. Asaph Street.

February 2. tf

FISH.

THE Subscriber will contract with those who wish to put up Fish, for the delivery of any quantity at his landing on the Point. Gentlemen from the country and those who wish to contract for a considerable quantity, will find their advantage in an early application, as his terms will be moderate (perhaps less than elsewhere) and his landing is the most convenient on the Potomac.

He has three Houses on the lower end of Fairfax Street to Rent.

W. PATTERSON.

January 11. 6wep

To Rent

AND IMMEDIATE POSSESSION GIVEN,

A convenient two-story frame

Dwelling-House, Kitchen,

&c. adjoining Mr. M'Clean's lake-house. For terms apply to

JOSEPH RIDDLE & Co.

Alexandria, Sept. 21, 1799.

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CONGRESS
OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MONDAY, *Feb.* 3.

JONATHAN ROBBINS.

Mr. Livingſton ſaid, he held two reſolutions which he intended to offer to the houſe, the one in their ordinary legiſlative capacity, the other addreſſed to them as the ſpecial guardians of the conſtitution and laws and the high inqueſt for the people of the United States.

Mr L. ſaid, that after the treaty with Great Britain had received the final ſanction of all the conſtituted authorities of the United States, ſuch laws were paſſed as were deemed competent to carry it into full effect; experience, however, had ſhewn that further legiſlative proviſion was neceſſary on the one hand to give full efficacy to the compact, and carry all its engagements into operation with fidelity, on the other to guard againſt any mitchiefs that might ariſe from uncertainty in the inſtrument or miſconſtruction of its proviſions.

Experience had ſhewn that an article in terms juſt, reciprocal and innocent had by this means become unjuſt, injurious and in the higheſt degree unequal in its operation.

He alluded, he ſaid, to the 27th article, which provides for the apprehenſion and delivery of fugitives, which was in the following words:

"It is further agreed, that his majeſty and the United States, on mutual requiſitions, by them reſpectively, or by their reſpective miniſters or officers, authoriſed to make the ſame, will deliver up to juſtice all perſons, who, being charged with murder or forgery, committed within the juriſdiction of either, ſhall ſeek an aſylum within any of the countries of the other, provided that this ſhall only be done on ſuch evidence of criminality, as, according to the laws of the place, where the fugitive, or perſon ſo charged ſhall be found, would juſtify his apprehenſion and commitment for trial, if the offence had been there committed.—The expence of ſuch apprehenſion and delivery ſhall be borne and defrayed by thoſe who make the requiſition and receive the fugitive."

By a recent conſtruction of this article, any perſon, even a citizen of the United States on the requiſition of a foreign power to whom he might have made himſelf obnoxious by being charged with a ſuppoſed crime ſaid to be committed in a foreign country or even on the high ſeas under the immediate juriſdiction of our own courts might be torn from his country, connections and friends, dragged to a diſtant land and there fall an unprotected ſacrifice to the political bigotry of a prejudiced court, or the ſtern unrelenting ſeverity of a military tribunal—he might ſuffer this in defiance of the conſtitutional proviſion which aſſured to him the intervention of one jury to charge and another to convict him of a crime.—It was to apply ſome remedy to thoſe evils that this firſt reſolution was calculated.

The 2d reſolution was connected with the ſubject of the firſt, and tended to inveſtigate a fact which had been publicly and ſeriouſly aſſerted in all the papers on the continent and which had never been extenuated or denied—It had been there aſſerted that a letter was written by an officer at the head of one of the great executive departments, to a judge adviſing and requeſting him how to act in a judicial caſe ariſing under the article juſt read, and that the application might have greater weight, that advice and requeſt were ſtated to be the Preſident's.

Mr. L. ſaid he ſhould make no obſervations on the danger of permitting executive influence to operate on judicial deciſion, its fatal tendency would be immediately ſeen and univerſally acknowledged.

And as in the exerciſe of this important function of the houſe it was eſpecially neceſſary to diſcard prejudice, animoſity and the irritation of party, he ſhould not ſtrive to awaken any paſſion or enliſt any feeling on the queſtion, he would therefore make no other remarks until the reſult of the enquiry ſhould either confirm the charge or ſhew it to be without foundation: perſuaded that, in the former caſe every member of the houſe would unite in ſuch meaſures as juſtice and duty would dictate, and conſcious that in the latter reſult, no one would more heartily rejoice than himſelf to acknowledging it to be groundleſs, and doing juſtice to the characters of thoſe who might be implicated in the charge.

He then read the following reſolutions, which if ſeconded, he would lay on the table.

Reſolved, That proviſion ought to be made by law for carrying into effect the 27th article of the treaty of amity, commerce, and navigation, between the United and the king of Great Britain.

Reſolved, That the Preſident of the United States be requeſted to lay before this houſe copies of the requiſition for, and other papers relative to the apprehenſion and delivery of Jonathan Robbins, under the 27th article of the treaty of amity, commerce, and navigation between the United States and the king of Great-Britain, together with copies of the communications (if any) between either of the executive departments and the judge of the diſtrict court of South-Carolina on the ſubject.

They were ſeconded and laid on the table.

Adjourned.

CINCINNATI, JANUARY 7.

Reſolved unanimouſly, by the legiſlative council and houſe of repreſentatives of the territory north weſt of the Ohio river, That the governor of the ſaid territory be requeſted to tranſmit to the preſident of the United States the following addreſs (ſigned by the preſident of the council, and the ſpeaker of the houſe of repreſentatives, in behalf of both houſes) together with this reſolution:

To JOHN ADAMS,
Preſident of the United States.

SIR,

The general aſſembly of the territory north weſt of the river Ohio, believing that the higheſt reward which a virtuous public officer can receive, is the applauſe of his fellow citizens, are anxious to embrace the earlieſt opportunity of declaring their confidence in your virtue and talents, and their approbation of your pleaſure and exultation more eaſily felt than expreſſed, we review the hiſtory of your important life, replete with proofs of patriotic virtue. At a period which demanded more than common firmneſs, we ſaw you ſtep forward the reſolute ſupport of you country's right. We witneſſed your perſeverance through the revolutionary war, and to your firmneſs we attribute the enjoyment of the rich country we now inhabit. Having acted ſo conſpicuous a part in the eſtabliſhment of American independence, at the cloſe of the arduous conteſt which enrolled the United States on the record of nations, you might have retired to the ſhade of private life, and ſecurely enjoyed the approbation of an upright mind and the applauſe of a grateful country. But happily for America, you choſe to continue in public life, till the confidence of your fellow citizens, at a critical moment, placed you at the helm of ſtate; and permit us, ſir, to aſſure you, that we are duly impreſſed with a ſenſe of the wiſdom juſtice and firmneſs with which you have diſcharged this important truſt; and we take this early opportunity of aſſuring you, ſir, of our ſincere attachment to the American conſtitution and government, and of our determination to afford every poſſible ſupport to both.

We believe that, regardleſs of the voice of party ſpirit, which has ſtriven to diſtract our national councils, you have kept the honor and happineſs of the nation conſtantly in view; and we ardently pray that the wiſe ruler of nations may preſerve your health and life.

EDWARD TIFFEN,
Speaker of the houſe of repreſentatives.
H. VANDERBURGH,
Preſident of the council.

BALTIMORE, FEBRUARY 7.

Arrived yeſterday, Brig Polly, of Boſton, Lazarus Lovell, maſter, 32 days paſſage to the Capes, from Demarara: ſailed from that the 19th December, left there the following Americans—Ship Thomas, Chalkley, of Philadelphia, to ſail in 10 days for Philadelphia; ſhip Mary, George Beathune, Boſton—Brig Mary, William Lads, of New London, cargo diſcharged—ſchooner Americana, Iſaac Bell, of New York, to ſail in a few days for Trinadada—ſchooner Rebecca, Fiſher, of Boſton—ſchooner Pearl, Griffin, Stonington—ſchooner Nancy, Little, Beverly—Ship Eliza, Loring, of Boſton, up to clean—one of two other Americans names unknown.

On the 25th, about 70 miles to windward of Defeada, early in the morning, I fell in with the United States ſhip L'Infurgente, Alexander Murray, Eſquire, commander; by his requeſt I lay by until they cloſed ſeveral packages—the lieutenant who came on board informed me, that there was alſo cruſing to windward, the United States ſhip Connecticut, Capt. Tryon; the Adams, Capt. Morris; and the Invincible of 74 guns—the Baltimore and Pickering cruiſing under the lee of Guadaloupe. Likewiſe informed me, that three weeks before had arrived at Guadaloupe, two French ſhips, one of 20 and one of 50 guns, which had brought out a new governor, Genet.—Captain Murray very politely told me he would ſtand on a piece with me to the northward, and accordingly did until 2 P. M.—A lofty war-like looking ſhip with a crowd of ſail hove in ſight to windward, but on getting ſight of us, ſhe in ſtudding ſail and hauled on a wind to the northward; the l'Infurgente then made ſail and ſtood to windward after her; night came on, and I loſt ſight, without knowing which had the better of the chaſe. On the 28th I fell in with the United States brig Pickering, Benjamin Hillar, eſquire, commander, on a cruiſe; eight days before had captured the Voligeiſe, of 10 guns and 61 men, 3 days from Guadaloupe, taken nothing; 3 months proviſions on board. It was expected that this privateer would have engaged the Pickering, as ſhe ſhewed 14 ports; but on the Pickering's firing a ſhot athwart her fore foot, and given three cheers, the French colours came down. I had the above news from lieutenant Ingraham, who came on board. He further ſaid, that four days before he was himſelf on ſhore at Point Petre, to exchange the above priſoners, and ſaw there the two French ſhips before mentioned.

The Pickering altering her cruiſe, has recaptured 16 ſail; ſhe was then full manned, and all her crew in good health: the doctor, Mr. Sargeant, was ſo good as to come on board and preſcribe for a man I had ſick, who has ſince recovered.

FEBRUARY 8.

A REWARD
For the Diſcovery of the perſon or perſons who
ROBBED THE MAIL
Between this City and Buſh Town.

The mail which left this on Thurſday morning, was between this and Buſhtown, cut open, and the way bag taken therefrom.—*One hundred Dollars* reward will be paid to any perſon, diſcovering and proſecuting the thief to conviction, on application to the printer.

LOWER ELBE, NOVEMBER 30.

COMMERCE & NAVIGATION.

If a ſpeedy commercial intercourſe between Holland and England be really eſtabliſhed, the effect upon the Hamburg market cannot but prove beneficial. The *ſame* as a merchant may over trade himſelf, a whole town, community, or country, may do the ſame, unleſs it provide in time the *means* for a ſudden increaſe of buſineſs; ſuch as the Engliſh government adopted ſome years ago, by iſſuing exchequer bills, and as the bank of England has now been adopting, by prolonging their diſcounts for the relief of merchants, from 2 to 4, 6 and 8 months;—an arrangement which procures immenſe reſources to the trade of Great Britain, which, we are confident, will prevent many conſiderable failures, that, from the *imperious punctuality* in mercantile tranſactions, *muſt* otherwiſe have happened. Indeed the over grown commerce of Great Britain required freſh means or a ſpeedy exerciſe of a *circulating medium*, adapted to its preſent magnitude, and this laſt arrangement of the Bank will, for ſome years to come, fully anſwer this beneficent purpoſe—the good effects of which will certainly be ſoon felt in all the commercial places of Europe which trade to Great Britain. We therefore ſincerely rejoice at, and congratulate the mercantile public on this moſt uſeful and moſt liberal arrangement of the Bank of England, which, their powerful means, holds forth a ſalvation to the trading community of Europe, and the world at large.

By opening the trade with Holland the bulinels in Hamburg will not be over crowded, or clogged again, as it becomes more adapted to the means, or real trading force, of that city.

LONDON, DECEMBER 10.

It is reported that Denmark has ſigned an offenſive and defenſive treaty with Great Britain and Ruſſia, by which ſhe engages herſelf in the common cauſe, and and promiſes to uſe all her influence to bring Sweden into the alliance.—We fear this ſtatement is not well founded.

In imitation of Mr. Burk's famous expreſſion at the "*Swinish multitude*," the French have invented a new term for the maſs, whom they call the *Multitude Moutonnier*, or *Sheepiſh* multitude. Unfortunately, from the ignorance and cullibility of that claſs, there is more truth than compliment in the phraſe.

When Cromwell diſſolved the parliament, he complained bitterly that the Lord had put him upon that work. Buonaparte, however, does not appear to have conſidered his taſk as a very unpleaſant one. He took it up heartily and went through it cheerfully. After having wandered ſo long in the deſerts of Arabia, he entertains no dread of the wilds of Guiana!

Buonaparte's being a *ſtranger*, was not forgotten when he made his firſt attempts on the Councils of France; and ſome were bold enough to demand he ſhould be *out-lawed*. Short ſighted men! they could not perceive that in a few hours time, he was about to *outlaw* the whole nation!

Buonaparte's candid declaration to the Council of Elders, that the conſtitution was nothing but an empty ſound, is ſomething in the ſpirit of Col. Paide's waggiſh remark when he purged the Parliament. A member having remonſtrated and ſaid that they wiſhed to ſeek the Lord in the Houſe of Commons, the Colonel deſired them to go elſewhere, as the Lord had not been in that place for ſeveral years!

The total diſuſe of Hair Powder in this country will probably become a neceſſary meaſure, and ought to be enjoined by authority.—Beſides the temporary aid it may give in the preſent ſcarcity of wheat, it will rid the public of a moſt invidious tax which, we believe, has never greatly benefited the revenue.

In one ſhape or other Buonaparte ſeems determined to draw the attention of the world upon him. What muſt the Chriſtian Knight think of ſuch a man? Or is not fairer to ſuppoſe that he has been all this while fighting with the *devil* in the ſhape of a French General?

Lucien Buonaparte, when he was brought out of the Council of Five Hundred by the grenadiers, mounted on horſeback, and harangued the troops. He ſaid they muſt go and clear the Hall, for moſt of thoſe who remained were not repreſentatives of the *people*, but repreſentatives of the *poniard*.

In Mr. Horne Tooke's late examination before the Commiſſioners of Income Tax, the following interrogatory and reply is ſaid to have paſſed:

Com.—"Pray, Sir, inform us by what means a gentleman, who has no property of his own, is enabled to live in the manner in which you do?"

Anſwer—"By three *s*'s *begging, borrowing*, and *ſtealing*? now which of theſe may be applicable to my caſe is for you to determine!"

The multitude of Kotzebue's plays announced for publication has kindled the jealouſy of Cumberland, who has now no more than nineteen plays in readineſs for performance. As to the *minor fry*.

"Whole hard-bound brains can breed once a year," they ſtand aloof in ſilent and reſpectful aſtoniſhment.

The French Ladies who prayed that children begotten and born in the abſence of their huſbands may be conſidered as legitimate, ſeem to have borrowed the idea from the celebrated Sir Boyle Roche, who ſuggeſted in the Iriſh Parliament "a modified tax on the *Abſentees*, who were cultivating their Eſtates upon the ſpot!"

The notions of dignity amongſt our faſhionable females appear to be in a conſtant ſtate of fluctuation. At one time dignity conſiſted in a circumference of hoop and a fortification of whalebone.—Theſe appendages are all now diſpenſed with, and all extrinſic circumſtances being done away, they ſeem to fix, with all the pride of independence, upon their naked Majeſty!

General Oliver, who was wounded at the battle of Trebia, wrote to General Lefevre, offering his ſervices on the day of the late revolution, at Paris, and ſtated in his letter that in order to equip himſelf he had juſt bought a *woodenleg*!

Roger Ducos, it is ſaid, is a mere cypher in the new conſulate. He is a cypher, that ſerves to increaſe the value

and power of the other *figures* with which he is conjoined.

The following article is given from Guines, of the date of the 21 of December.

"Gen. La Fayette arrived yesterday evening at his ci-devant Chateau of Fontenoy, near Chaume, in the department of Seine and Marne. His health appeared very much altered, but rather better than that of Madam La Fayette, who since her confinement in the prisons of Austria, has been afflicted with a complaint which sometimes deprives her of the use of her limbs."

Alexandria, February 11.

Died, on Sunday last, Mrs. Voss, of this town. Her remains were followed yesterday, by many lamenting friends and acquaintance, to the place of interment.

CHARLESTON, JANUARY 25.

Departed this life on Thursday evening the 23d inst. his Excellency EDWARD RUTLEDGE, Esq. Governor and Commander in Chief of this state.

The amiable qualities of this respected man procured him the love of all who had the felicity to know him; his great qualities entitled him to the confidence of his fellow citizens, which he possessed in an eminent degree. His benevolence was unlimited, and his charity scarcely knew any other bounds than human misery, and the extent of his fortune. In public life his services have been greatly useful to his country, and his loss will be felt in the proportion that it will be difficult to fill up the immense void he leaves in society. The suavity of his manners enabled him to preserve the esteem even of those who differed from him in the thorny path of politics. His family and his friends have sustained an irreparable loss, for no man ever possessed in a higher degree than he did, the talent of rendering happy all who surrounded him and enjoyed his beloved society.

He was indeed the ornament of our country, and he will be lamented as long as a rare union of virtue and talents shall be prized among men, and memory retains her seat. It is hoped that a sketch of his life and services will be presented to the public, by some person qualified to render this service to the country, and this duty to departed worth.

SAVANNAH, JANUARY 23.

On Monday the 6th inst. information was received here of the death of our illustrious fellow citizen, the great and good General George Washington. Universal gloom pervaded the city, and strongly testified the general regret and sorrow of the inhabitants. The colours of the shipping in the harbour were hoisted half mast, and at 12 o'clock the federal artillery fired minute guns to the number of a grand salute, and were followed by 68 discharges from the Chatham artillery, in honour of the General's age. Towards the close of the day similar marks of respect were observed by the revenue cutter and galley.

The succeeding morning was ushered in by minute guns from the shipping in the harbour, and the evening closed with the same evidence of regret, which was continued during the whole week.

The corporation of the city convened immediately upon receiving the melancholy information, and entered into the following resolution:

Resolved, That the mayor and aldermen of the city of Savannah will wear deep mourning for one month, as a mark of respect to the memory of General WASHINGTON, and that the Revd. Mr. Holcombe be requested to preach a funeral sermon on this melancholy occasion: and that aldermen Belcher and Miller be a committee to wait on Mr. Holcombe with this resolution, and fix a day on which it will be convenient for him to deliver his discourse; who also recommended, that the merchants, shopkeepers, and tradesmen, in this city, do shut up their stores and shops for three days, to expire on the evening of the 8th inst. as a mark of respect to the memory of that illustrious character.

The various societies within the city likewise assembled, and entered into resolutions to wear mourning for their departed much esteemed fellow citizen.

On Sunday the 19th a procession was formed opposite the city hall, to attend the delivery of a sermon by the Rev. Mr. Holcombe, on the distressing event.

[Here follows the order of procession.]

At Augusta similar honours have been paid to the memory of America's Chief—"A large number of ladies, dressed in mourning, attended at church, and their countenances, expressive of their keen sensibility on this distressing occurrence, evidenced how sincerely they felt, and how sincerely they lamented the death of the *protector of innocence, the patron of virtue, the friend of man, the benefactor and father of the American people.*"

NOTICE

To the Officers of the 60th Regiment.

THE Committee appointed to make the proper arrangements for the Procession on the 22d instant having, very politely, expressed to me their wish and desire, that the Officers of the 60th Regiment should join the Procession in Alexandria, and that they, under that hope, had given them a place in the arrangement, I have therefore thought proper to give the several Officers this notice, being fully persuaded that they will most cordially embrace every opportunity in joining their fellow-citizens in honorably paying every tribute of respect to the immortal memory of General WASHINGTON, our Chief, our Neighbour and Brother Soldier. It is expected the officers will appear in full uniform, and with side arms, by nine o'clock, on the 22d.

CHARLES LITTLE,
Lieut. Col.

Fairfax, February 11.

From the Gazette of the United States.

The legislative body of Pennsylvania have passed a resolve to prepare a portrait or portraits of the late General Washington, to grace the apartments of state.—Massachusetts have done the same, but with this difference: Pennsylvania, like her democratic politics, has offered nothing more than shadow * to support his glorious memory, whilst Massachusetts has offered substance—even a statue of marble, like their Federal Characters, permanent to the end of time.

* *The writer of the above article might have added, that Virginia, in its legislative capacity, has not offered even the "shadow" of respect.*

A letter from a gentleman of the first respectability at Paris, to his friend, an American gentleman, in London, dated November 17, 1799, says, "I have conversed with many of the heads of the late Revolution, and some of the committee of the Constitution (which is composed of Garat, Lanjuinais, Regnier, Lenour Laroche, and Lemercier) who I think will propose as the basis of the new constitution, the model of that of the United States—an elective President, and two Houses of Assembly."

THE NAVY.

The Constitution of 44 guns, Capt. Talbot, was cruising off the Mole, the 1st. in co. with the Boston of 32 guns, Capt. Little.

The Gen. Greene, of 32 guns, Capt. Perry, was at the Cape, refitting and ready for sea.

All the crews healthy, and in fine spirits. No officer of either of the frigates had been imprisoned at the Cape, as reported.

The Portsmouth, of 24 guns, Captain M'Neal, was at Tobago, December 17, to sail home soon.

The Constellation, of 38 guns, Capt. Truxton, was spoke January 2, bound to the West Indies.

[Boston Gen.]

The Senate of Pennsylvania adopted on the 27th of January, by a majority of 15 to 7, an answer to the address of the Governor, at the opening of the session. They observe, that the Governor has in answers to several addresses bestowed the most opprobious epithets on those who opposed his election and ascribed to them the most wicked designs. They sincerely lament that the same spirit which dictated these answers had marked his official conduct; and that a great number of respectable characters had been removed from office against whom no other blame rested than the exercise of their rights as freemen against his wishes.

This answer was presented by Messrs. Gurney, M'Clellan and Whelen.

On the 28th of January, the Governor's reply was read in the Senate. It is long, argumentative and keen. He tells the Senate, they had assumed a censorship which the constitution does not recognize. He says that he still believes that his election was opposed by such a combination as he had described, but that he had neither said nor thought that there were not many whose minds were actuated by the purest motives. He observes, that the Senate could not have been informed as to the principles which actuated him in his appointments to office, and that in fact he had re-appointed many of his most decisive and influential opponents.

It is said there is no probability of a compromise between the two houses of the legislature of Pennsylvania, as to the mode of choosing electors of President & Vice President.

(G. T. Gen.)

NEW-YORK, FEBRUARY 4.

Extract of a letter from Niagara, dated the 13th January, 1800.

"A duel was fought the 3d inst. at York (Upper Canada) between John White, Esq. Attorney-General, a very worthy character; and John Small, Esq. Clerk to the Executive Council—the former fell. The duel originated through some family dispute."

The late Governor of Guadaloupe has been sent to France in irons, in consequence of an intercepted letter of his to the British admiral Seymour, wherein he proposed to deliver up the island to his Britannic majesty's forces. A fast sailing vessel was procured for the purpose of sending him to France.

PHILADELPHIA, FEB. 5.

The recruiting for the frigate Philadelphia, we understand, is to commence immediately. She is destined to sail the beginning of April next.

National Solemnities.

The Committee appointed to adjust and carry into effect a plan for commemorating the 22d February, in such manner as should appear to them best calculated to harmonize with the feelings of the Inhabitants of this Town and its vicinity, and to meet the views of Congress,

Respectfully report, That they have adopted an order of Procession to be observed on that day, calculated to unite all classes of citizens—The Procession will be formed in King Street, precisely at 11 o'clock, from which place they will march in order to the Presbyterian Meeting House, where an Oration will be delivered by Dr. *Elisha C. Dick*, accompanied with religious solemnities by the Revd. Messrs. *Davis*, *Muir*, and *Maffitt*.

The colours of the shipping in the harbour to be hoisted at half mast; and the Committee recommend, that all business be suspended, and no stores or shops be opened.

The Committee respectfully invite all classes of their fellow-citizens to join in the proposed solemn tribute to the illustrious man, whose loss is so justly and universally deplored.

The plan of procession is lodged with George Deneale, who is appointed officer of the day, and who will give any information respecting the procession, as also of the military evolutions to be performed on that day.

By order of the Committee.
G. DENEALE, Sec'ry.
February 1, 1800.

LOST,

On Thursday Evening, between the Mall and Gadsby's Tavern,

A SADDLE, about half worn, with a small hole worn on the pommel, and a blue Cloth bound with red. A generous Reward will be given for the delivery of it at the above Tavern.

February 11. 3t

THE Subscriber being solicitous to discharge the obligations he is under, begs those who have had dealings with him, as well in the year 1798, when Cumberland Wilson was in the business, as since the expiration of that year, to come forward and discharge their respective balances. All those outstanding on the 20th instant, will be put in suit. He likewise reminds those indebted to the estate of C. Wilson, late of this place, that no longer indulgence can be given, it being necessary to bring the affairs of the estate to a close as soon as possible.

He has on hand a considerable Stock of DRY GOODS, which he will sell at reduced prices, for Cash or Produce.

JAMES LORIMER.
Dumfries, February 8, 1800. 3w

Just Published

AND FOR SALE

At the Office of the COLUMBIAN MIRROR, and at the Office of the TIMES,

(PRICE 25 CENTS)

THE WILL OF GENERAL George Washington:

TO WHICH IS ANNEXED,

A SCHEDULE *of his* PROPERTY, *DIRECTED TO BE SOLD.*

An allowance made to those who purchase quantities.

February 8.

Valuable Jacks & Jennets

FOR SALE.

Will be sold, for ready Money,
At Mount Vernon Mill,
On the 5th day of March, if fair, if not, the next fair day,

A Number of valuable JACKS and JENNETS, superior in size and strength to any in the United States. Most of the Jennets are with foal by the imported Jack, Knight of Malta. Gentlemen wishing to purchase, it is presumed will be anxious to avail themselves of this opportunity.

Also will be offered for Sale,
A valuable STUD HORSE, remarkable for his beauty and strength.

THE EXECUTORS.

February 10. tdf

HOPS.

LATELY RECEIVED,
The best fresh Hops,
And for Sale, by
J. G. LADD.

February 11.

ALEXANDRIA LIBRARY COMPANY.

THE Members of the Alexandria Library Company will please to take Notice, that a general meeting of the Company will be held at the Council Chamber, on Monday the 17th inst. at three o'clock in the afternoon, agreeable to the act of incorporation, for the purpose of electing, by ballot, a President and eleven Directors, for the ensuing year. It is hoped that every Member who has the permanent good of this valuable institution sincerely at heart will make it a point to attend and give his vote on this occasion. The ballots will be opened at 6 o'clock.

JAMES KENNEDY, Sec.
Librarian.

February 4. 2w

☞ The Directors having come to a Resolution to re-admit all their Members who were in arrears at the time the Company was incorporated to a share therein, on their paying such arrears to the Treasurer, on or before the 17th inst. and to exclude all those who do not pay as aforesaid, have ordered me to notify the same to all whom it may concern.

J. K. Lib.

February 11.

Samuel Bishop

Has received, per the Schooner Tryall,
A considerable Supply of
Foolscap & Post Writing PAPER,
Which he offers for Sale at very reduced prices.
Royal-Street, January 8. tf

American Manufactory.

The subscribers offers for sale a quantity of
WINDOW GLASS,
from the Boston Manufactory, of different sizes. The quality of which is superior to that imported.

DAVID POLOCK & Co.

N. B. They will have a constant supply of this article, and will furnish any quantity of (sizes) from 6 by 8, to 12 by 18, and any that may be wanted larger, can be cut at the manufactory and will be supplied by orders being left with the subscribers.

Aug. 20.

Wanted to Purchase,

☞ *A Negro Boy from 12 to 14 years of age. Enquire of the Printer.*

Jan. 30. 3t.

John Duffey,

At his Comb Manufactory, Fairfax-street, has just received an assortment of
Sword and other Canes,
Also some neat
SWITCH WHIPS.

December 31.

HAY In Bundles

FOR SALE BY
W. HARTSHORNE & SON.

December 21.

PETER HEISKELL,

AT THE SIGN OF

GEN. WASHINGTON ON HORSE-BACK,

Corner of King and Pitt Streets, Alexandria,

RESPECTFULLY informs the Public, that he has opened a Tavern at the above place, and is provided with a stock of the BEST LIQUORS, and every other article requisite in his line of business. He has in his employ an Ostler, who is much esteemed in that line, and is also considered as being an excellent Farrier.

From the experience which he has had as Innkeeper, during his long residence in Staunton, he flatters himself in the confidence of pleasing those who may favor him with their custom, and pledges himself to use every endeavour to give general satisfaction.

He keeps, on hire, for the accommodation of the Public, a Coachee, with good horses and a careful Driver—also an excellent Riding-Horse.

A Line of Stages runs from this House to George-Town, Baltimore and Philadelphia, every morning, and arrives from said places every evening.

December 19. tf

WILL BE SOLD

ON THE FIRST OF MAY NEXT,

NINE HUNDRED & FIFTY EIGHT ACRES

Good Farming Land,

IN Prince William County, Virginia, lying on the waters of Broad Run, about 30 miles from Alexandria, and 15 from Dumfries. It is unnecessary to say any thing of the improvements on the land, as those who are inclined to purchase it is presumeable will first view the property. One half the purchase money will be required on the day of sale, the remainder in 12 months.

B. DULANY, Jun.

December 28.

George-Town Ferry, Oct. 4, 1799.

CAME to this Ferry, Yesterday, a suspicious looking Negro Man, who, I am informed, had a handsome Horse, with a Saddle and Bridle, tied in the woods. On pursuing the fellow (who made his escape by running off) a Horse, of the following description, was found, viz. a bright bay, about 14¾ hands high, with one white hind foot, a star in his forehead, a small snip on the end of his nose, and a small piece has been taken off his tail, which is not yet quite well. He appears never to have been shod. The fellow, I am since informed, calls himself PETER FLEMMON, the property of John Berton, of Cumberland county, Virginia. The said Negro was some time past condemned in Alexandria, for horsestealing; from which he was reprieved. The owner of the above horse may have him by proving property and paying charges, on applying at the above Ferry.

CLEM. SEWALL.

To be Rented,

And Possession given about the 10th of next March,

A Newly built two story BRICK HOUSE 44 by 38 feet, calculated for a Tavern, with other necessary buildings, viz. Kitchen, Smoak House, Stables, &c. situated at the new Court House of Fairfax county, with other accommodations and privileges, which (as it is presumed a person inclined to rent would first view them) are unnecessary to enumerate, as it is conceived there are but few situations that offer greater advantages in that line than the above, it would be worth the attention of a person who is calculated therefor.—I will rent the premises for one, two, or more Years, as may best suit the Tenant, at a very reasonable Rent, to a man of ability and good character as an innkeeper—For further information, application to be made to me near the said Court House.

RICHARD RATCLIFFE.

January 22. tf.

JUST IMPORTED,

In the schooner Eliza, Capt. Teel, from Gonaives, and for sale by the subscribers at their warehouse, on King Street,

31 bales of Cotton;
178 bags 1st quality Coffee.

J. PATION and J. DYKES.

☞ They have also on hand—Sugar in hhds. a parcel of Logwood, and 5 bales Kendal Cottons. Dec. 31. epsw

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Notice to Creditors.

THOSE who have claims against WILLIAM HARTSHORNE, or WILLIAM HARTSHORNE & SON, are desired to furnish a state of their claims as soon as possible, or at any rate before the tenth day of next month, those who are indebted to either of the above firms are requested to make immediate payment.

From heavy losses by the late failures in Baltimore we are obliged to stop payment, and propose to meet our Creditors at this place, in the Brick House next door to Bennett and Watts, on the tenth of next month, at ten o'clock in the forenoon; when we shall be glad that all will attend who can make it convenient, to see a state of our affairs, and determine on what shall be most for their own interest in the present unfortunate situation of our business.

WM. HARTSHORNE & SON.

Alexandria, 1 mo. 27, 1800.

Coarse Woollens & Hosiery

LATELY IMPORTED,

And to be sold, by

W. Hartshorne & Son,

At their Store, in King-Street, next door above Bennett and Watts's, viz.

HALF-THICKS, kerseys, Kendal cottons, white, blue and brown—Coatings, viz. blue, drab, olive, bloom, copper, mixed, striped and clouded—small coverlets of cadors—men, women and boys' silk, cotton and worsted hose, in which there is a great variety—a few dozen of women's cotton do.—all of which will be sold at very reduced prices, for Cash or good Notes, negotiable in the Bank of Alexandria.

December 28.

Abel Willis

HAS JUST NOW LANDED,

From Norfolk,

CRAB CIDER in barrels,
Sugar in do.
French Brandy in pipes,
Bacon Hams, newly cured,
A quantity of fine Oranges, with
A variety of other nice eatables.

Also For Sale, at Col. Gilpin's Coal Yard,

600 Bushels of best James River Coal.

January 16. tf

NOTICE

Is hereby given to the Stockholders of the Bank of Alexandria,

That a Dividend of four and

a half per cent. on the capital Stock of said Bank, for the half year ending this day is declared, and will be ready to be paid to them or their representatives, on Thursday next.

By order of the President & Directors,

GURDEN CHAPIN, Cash'r.

January 7. 4wsw

Thompson & Veitch

HAVE IMPORTED,

In the brigs Fanny, from London, and George, from Liverpool,

Fall Goods;

Also, 8, 10 and 20d. Nails.

October 17.

The Eagle Tavern.

THE subscriber respectfully notices to former customers, and the public generally, that the management of this INN is now under his immediate direction. From inclination and interest he will aim to please—and being provided with every thing requisite for the convenient and comfortable accommodation of his customers, he flatters himself he will receive proportionate encouragement.

He desires those who have claims against Mr. William M'Knight, the former proprietor, to render their accounts to him for settlement—to whom those indebted must make payment before the first of March next.

CHARLES M'KNIGHT.

Jan. 25. 3wep—tawtf

Lands for Sale, or exchange for other Property.

SEVEN hundred and eighty-eight acres in the county of Hampshire, on the waters of Great Cape Capon, about 20 miles from the Warm Springs, and 30 from Winchester.—This land is full of wood, oak and Pine Timber. Two excellent farms may be made, with 30 to 50 acres of bottom, and rich high land to each; and in the heart of the timber there is a fine seat for a sawmill. Capt. Daniel Rice will shew the lands.

Three thousand eight hundred and forty-five acres in the county of Ohio, on the waters of Grave and Fish creeks, near the river Ohio, and about 80 miles below Pittsburg. Some of these lands are very good, with considerable quantities of rich bottom, and plenty of excellent timber. Robert Woods, Esq. the surveyor of that county, will shew these lands.

One hundred seventy six and three-fourths acres, within three miles of the Warm Springs, upon Great Cape-Capon, near its mouth, and within ¼ of a mile of the River Potomak. This land has about 70 to 80 acres of rich bottom, mostly in cultivation, with 274 fine *sugar trees* on it; from which, I am informed, there may be made 3000lb. of good sugar annually. There is also a seat for grist and saw mills on it, equal to any in that neighbourhood, and upon a never failing stream of water. The upland is rich, with plenty of timber, and part under cultivation. This farm is well improved with a good orchard, houses and fencing, and rented last year for produce equal to sixty pounds per an. Mr. Joseph Butler, at the Warm Springs, will shew it. I will sell all, or any of the above lands for cash, or upon credit, or take in exchange for them lands in Fairfax County, or Lots of land in the town of Alexandria, or the city of Washington.

R. T. HOOE.

Jan. 25. 1800. tf

Thomas Smith

HAS THIS DAY RECEIVED

A Consignment of 30 quarter casks of

Sherry Wine,

Which will be sold cheap, for Cash or approved Notes, at 60 days.

December 10.

RAN AWAY, on the 25th ult. from the subscriber, living near Culpepper Court-House, a Negro Man, named JACK, about 30 years old, 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, very muscular, full faced, wide nostrils, large eyes, a down look, speaks slowly, and wore his hair cued; had on when he eloped a white shirt, grey broadcloth coat, mixed cassimere waistcoat and breeches, a brown hat, faced underneath with green, and a pair of boots. He formerly belonged to Mr. Augustin Baughan, of Fredericksburg, now of Baltimore, and I am told was seen making for Alexandria, with an intention of taking the stage thither. He is artful, can both read and write, and is a good fiddler; it is therefore probable he may assume a forgery, and pass for a freeman. He is most commonly known by the name of JACK TAYLOR, was originally from Essex county has a father living there, and it is said he has a wife, the property of Mrs. Dalrymple, of Dumfries. Whoever secures him in any gaol, so that I get him, shall have Ten Dollars Reward, and if taken above sixty and not more than one hundred miles distant, and brought home, shall receive Twelve Dollars, and for any greater distance, Fifteen Dollars, with all reasonable expenses borne. Masters of vessels and stage drivers are forewarned carrying him out of the state, under penalty of the law.

CARTER BEVERLY.

October 6, 1799.

FOR SALE,

In Loudoun County, Virginia,

TWO TRACTS of valuable LAND—one containing 2340 acres, situated near the foot of the Blue Ridge and the Short Hill, partly bounded by Potomak river, about one mile below Harper's Ferry, and three miles above the Ferry at Berlin. It is now, and has been for several years, in the occupation of 15 or 16 tenants, at annual low rents. The adjoining Short Hill is said to contain copper and lead ore, affords abundance of timber and wood for the different tenants, and is an excellent range for cattle and hogs. This estate is well worth the attention of any purchaser who would take the whole and sell it in small divisions. Its situation is a great recommendation to it, exclusive of the advantages of having several pieces of excellent meadow ground and good streams for grist and saw mills; for it is nearly central between Leesburg, Winchester and Frederick Town, and within two miles of the new public works at Harper's Ferry—having also the advantage of water carriage up and down the Potomak, by the now nearly completed passages of the Potomak Canal Company.

The other Tract, called the Valley Tract, contains 1090 acres of excellent arable and level land, five miles from Leesburg, on the Winchester road, on the waters of Goose Creek, which affords excellent mill seats. It is also under annual rents, and is tolerably well wooded. It will be sold in the whole or by divisions of four or five parts. Part of the purchase money to be paid down, and the remainder on passing the deeds. Both these estates are of unexceptionable title, and are free from any debt or incumbrance whatever. Application, or any offers made by letters, post paid, will be duly attended to and answered, if directed to the subscriber, to be left at the post office, Alexandria.

T. A. DIGGES.

January 20. 6

James River Land

FOR SALE.

I Will sell from four to six hundred acres of Land, lying in the County of Amherst, on the waters of James River, 110 miles above Richmond, 8 from the Town of New Glasgow, 18 from Warminster, 12 from New Market, and 30 from Lynchburg. At each of the three lah named Towns is a tobacco inspection, aided by merchants of capital, and merchant mills convenient, and are situated on James River, where it is navigable to the City of Richmond. The land is very fertile and well adapted for the production of wheat, corn, hemp, and tobacco. Upon the land there a tolerable dwelling house, with some useful out-houses, an apple and a cherry orchard. There is upon the premises an abundance of valuable timber of various descriptions, with a valuable mill-seat. For terms apply to the Subscriber.

HENRY ROSE.

Fairfax, December 26.

N. B. Lands in Fairfax, or property in the Town of Alexandria, would be received in exchange. H. R.

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN away from the subscriber last night, 23d instant, at Colchester, a Negro man, named *Charles*—of a yellowish complection; ties his hair; about 30 years of age; near 5 feet 10 inches high; stout and well made.—Had on, when he went away, a Negro cotton coat and overalls of the same, and a new felt hat. He was purchased of Mr. Hepburn, near Alexandria, and will probably go into that neighbourhood again. The above reward will be given, and all reasonable charges paid for delivering said Negro at the Washington Tavern, Alexandria, or securing him in gaol, so that I get him again.

THOS. FULLILOVE.

Jan. 25.

TO BE SOLD.

A likely, stout Negro Man,

about 29 years of age, and a good field-worker.—Enquire of the Printer.

January 28. tf

Commission Warehouse.

THE subscribers having opened a Warehouse on King Street, near the Washington Tavern, offer their services to their friends, and the public in general, in the line of Commission Merchants and Brokers. They will receive consignments of vessels and cargoes from any port in the United States or elsewhere, and procure freights for vessels. Also buy and sell lands, houses and lots; bills of exchange, negotiable paper, bank and marine insurance stock—and receive for sale, on commission, or on storage, Flour and Wet and Dry Goods.——All business with which they may be entrusted will be executed with the most punctuality and dispatch.

HENRY & THOMAS MOORE.

December 31, '99 epbm.

Andrew & Wm Ramsay

HAVE IMPORTED,

In the Perseverance, from London, lately arrived at Baltimore,

The following Goods,

Which they are now opening, at their Warehouse, King-Street:

Brown Rolls in Bales
British osnaburg in do.
German do. in do.
Cotton and linen checks in ditto
Dowlas in do.
Irish linen in do.
Brown do. in do.
Diaper cloths in do.
Russia sheeting in bales
Best London superfine cloths & cassimets in trunks

A few double and single barrelled guns and pistols, with mahogany cases and apparatus complete, equal, if not superior, to any ever imported into this country;

All of which they will dispose of on moderate terms, for Cash or short Credit.

They expect a further supply of Goods by the first arrivals from London.

January 16. tf

THOSE indebted to the Estate of JOHN FITZGERALD, Esq. deceased, are desired to make payment. That estate being much involved, it is hoped that no person will be backward in discharging what they owe. The Executors, or one of them, can, at all times, be met with in the Town of Alexandria. Those who have claims against the estate are desired to bring them in properly authenticated, that arrangements may be made for payment.

The Warehouse and Pier, belonging to that estate, and several Dwelling-Houses, are to be rented for a year. Terms may be known by application to the Executors, or either of them.

THOMAS A. DIGGS, } Ex'rs.
JAMES KEITH, }

January 1, 1800. 4wsp

Fifty Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY yesterday morning, a Mulatto Man, named EDWARD, who formerly belonged to Mr. J. Ambler, of the City of Richmond, and was sold by Mr. Ambler in June, 1796, to Mr. William Radford—the September following Mr. Radford sold him to Major P. B. Oram. Edward rode with Major Oram, as his servant, through several of the states. In Philadelphia, July 1797, he was sold by Major Oram to Mr. William Glassell, of Fredericksburg, of whom I purchased him. Edward is a light Mulatto, with grey eyes, about twenty two or three years of age, is a good Barber, Hairdresser and Tailor; took with him a variety of clothing; among which were a suit of superfine blue cloth, with buckskin breeches, quite new, a short blue waistcoat and breeches, also new, a swandown under waistcoat, a pair of half-boots, with slip tops. He is an artful fellow, and probably has procured a pass, and will endeavour to pass as a free man. I will give the above reward on his being brought home, or Thirty Dollars, if secured in any gaol so that I get him again.

CHARLES JONES,
Orange County.

December 24, 1799. tf

Ten Dollars Reward.

RAN AWAY, from the subscriber, on the 29th of December, 1799, a Negro Man, named WALTER, about 28 years of age, 5 feet 9 or 10 inches high, remarkably well made; had a variety of clothing, but the particulars are not known. He is a good cook, and well acquainted with the management of horses. The above reward will be given, and all reasonable charges paid, to any person who will deliver him to his master, Mr. Thomas Garrett, living in the neighbourhood of Mrs. Songster, Fairfax County, or to

PETER WISE.

January 20. 4

Salisbury, 18th October, 1799.

THE celebrated Running Horse, MUFTI, imported by John Taylor, esq'r. in August last, will stand at my stable the ensuing season to cover Mares. The terms, &c. will be made known before the commencement thereof.

SAMUEL LOVE.

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